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HOCKEY

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Friday, January 13, at 8 p. m.
DIDSBURY vs. CROSSFIELD

Saturday, January 14, at 9 p. m.
CARSTAIRS vs. CROSSFIELD

Admission: Adults 25c Children 10c

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After the Game is Over
You will enjoy a tasty lunch at The Oliver.
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Annual Meeting Board of Trade, Wed., January 18th.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Wednesday evening next, January 18th at the Oliver Cafe, commencing at 6.45 p. m. It is to be hoped that the town and district will be well represented at this meeting. Furthermore anyone who has a suggestion to make that will be of benefit to the community are asked to bring it to the attention of the meeting.

We cannot state too strongly that the Board is working for the interests of every individual in the community and should be supported.

BUSINESS TAXES MUST BE PAID BEFORE FEB. 1st.

The regular meeting of the Village Council was held in the Fire Hall on Monday evening. Present Mayor Williams and Councillor Amussen.

In opening the meeting the Mayor brought under discussion the cemetery lots that according to the town books were not paid for.

It was moved by Mayor Williams that any cemetery lot purchased before October 1909, and where the purchasers feel confident that they have paid for same, that the secretary mark them off as paid.

After considerable discussion over the arrears of business taxes, it was moved by Councillor Amussen, that the secretary be instructed to write to each one concerned and state that they will be allowed until February 1st to meet the arrears, but after that date further proceedings will be taken if in the meantime no effort is made to meet arrears.

Several accounts were passed and ordered paid. J. P. Wanning was appointed official auditor.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to make provisions for the Annual Meeting of the Electors of the Village on Monday, Feb. 6th.

Old-Timers to Hold Annual Round-Up

Frank Ruddy, President

At a well attended meeting of the Crossfield and District Old Timers' Association held in Laut's Store on Saturday afternoon, it was decided to hold their annual round-up again this year. There will be the usual banquet, entertainment and dance.

It was felt by many present that the old timers' only hold this one event each year—and in spite of the depression—they would go right ahead and make this annual get-together an outstanding event.

The funds of the Association have been badly depleted during the past year owing to the illness and deaths of many of their members, but with the true spirit of the pioneer, they are out to build up a surplus, and at the same time have a night of enjoyment that will be a fond memory in later years.

The following officers were elected:

President: Frank Ruddy
Vice-President: Ed. Meyers
Sec-Treas: Geo. McLeod.
Executive Committee: Geo. Murdoch, Wm. Laut, Chris Amussen, Dan Fike, Culver Calhoun, O. E. Jones, Tom Tredaway, Carl Becker.

Meeting Saturday

A meeting of the Old Timers' Association will be held in Laut's Store on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 14 at 3 o'clock, when the date of the round-up will be set, and other important matters discussed.

Have you paid your subscription to the Chronicle?

Trapper Found Dead West of Big Prairie

Frank Landre, a half breed, 64 years of age, was found dead outside his tent in the bush, west of Big Prairie on Monday.

The deceased had been living at Cremona for the past three years. He left in November to go trapping and was last seen alive about the middle of December. The body was found on Monday and according to Dr. Williams he had been dead for approximately two weeks.

The case was investigated by Constable Jarman and Dr. Williams, corner. It was found that death was due to natural causes and no inquest was necessary.

The Beaver Dam Municipal District made arrangements with M. Foster, undertaker at Carstairs, for the burial.

Installation of Officers

The following officers of the Crossfield Masonic Lodge, No. 42, were recently installed.

J. Robertson, I. P. M.
N. King, W. M.
J. L. McTory, S. W.
J. M. Williams, J. W.
G. Davies, S. D.
R. G. Gibson, Chaplain
J. P. Wanning, Treasurer
F. T. Baker, Tyler
R. M. McCool, Secretary.
E. Beddoes, J. D.
C. J. Church, S. S.
E. Rosenberger.

HOCKEY

Crossfield Defeats Acme and Ties With Airdrie—League Game Friday Night

On Saturday last the local club had no trouble in turning back the Acme sextette by a score of 6-2. Crossfield played a fast combination game, and with Bennie McLeod and Fred Collins using their wiles to good advantage on the defense, backed by "Eagle Eye" Demers between the pipes, the game was never in doubt.

The youngsters of the team Ronnie McFadyen and Ernie Sharp, turned on plenty of speed and were a constant worry to the Acme defense.

Crossfield 1, Airdrie 1

On Monday night Crossfield and Airdrie battled 60 minutes of hard, close checking hockey to a 1-1 draw. It was a bruising game with little to choose between the two teams, but at that Duke Davis and his gang were lucky to get a draw in this contest.

The Airdrie gang had all the hockey they wanted and would not go out to play any overtime. No, no, they were lucky to hold Crossfield to a draw, and nobody knew it any better than they did.

Hockey fans look for the best hockey to be played during overtime, whether it's an exhibition or league makes no difference to the cash customers who are paying the shot.

League Game

On Friday night of this week, Didsbury and Crossfield play here in the opening game of the league. Didsbury winners of the Roseland League last year, have a fast team and plenty of action is assured.

Exhibition Game

Saturday night Carstairs play here in an exhibition game. Our neighbors to the north are always a hard team to beat and Saturday night's game should be a thriller.

CROSSFIELD BONSPIEL JANUARY 24 and 25

President Ed. Meyers and Bonspiel Secretary Glen Williams are busy on details of the annual bonspiel which is to be held here on Jan. 24 and 25. Invitations have been sent to Didsbury, Carstairs, Airdrie, Cochrane and Madden.

It is more than likely that Bob Whitfield of Airdrie will skip a local rink thru thespiel. Bob is assured of a royal welcome here.

Notice

Our offer of 60c per bushel for No. 1 Wheat will be withdrawn on January 14th, 1933, and in place thereof we will allow 10c per bushel premium for wheat, to apply on old accounts.

Crossfield District Co-Operative Association U. F. A. Limited.

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CROSSFIELD

Treeless Prairies Will Soon Be A Thing Of The Past As Result Of Forestry Campaign

Extended stretches of treeless prairie are now the exception in Western Canada. Thirty years ago these were common. Since the Canadian Government instituted a tree-planting division in 1901 under the administration of the Department of Interior (recently transferred the work to the Department of Agriculture), a total of 117,225,936 trees have been distributed free to farmers in the Prairie Provinces. Of this total 115,100,070 were deciduous or broad-leaved trees and 2,025,866 were conifers or evergreens.

Sufficient seedling trees to establish shelter belts have been sent out from the Canadian Government Forestry Stations at Indian Head and Sutherland, Saskatchewan, to as many as 6,000 farmers every year for the past thirty years, at an average of about 4,000,000 trees per year. In addition to the free distribution, millions of trees have been sold in the Prairie Provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—by owners of prairie farm homes, who have either stood out on a somewhat bare and unrelieved landscape, are now sheltered by girdles of stout trees, which not only serve as windbreaks, but help to conserve the moisture and make a decided contribution to the attractiveness of the surrounding country. The trees that are the most popular among farmers in Western Canada are Caragana or Serbian pea, Manitoba maple, ash, poplar and willow. The "treeless prairie" passed into the limbo with many other things about the close of the nineteenth century.

The Holiday Massacre

Appalling Number Of Fatal Accidents On English Roads During Summer

During July and August an average of 17 people were killed every day on the roads of England and Wales. Of the 1,017 accidents responsible for their deaths, less than two per cent. were unavoidable. And in over 86 per cent. it was the man and not the machine that failed. Four hundred and fifty-three of those killed were motorists, 406 pedestrians and 193 pedal cyclists. In the list of vehicles involved motor cars came first, motorcycles a good second; then motor vans and lorries, closely followed by bicycles. Seventy per cent. of the deaths occurred in towns and built-up areas (a fifth of them in Greater London). Half of the motor drivers involved had over five years' driving experience, but two-thirds of them were between 16 and 20. Twice as many boys were killed as girls. The most dangerous age for children is between four and five; but almost all the children between 13 and 16 were killed while cycling. These grim data are taken from the National Safety First Association's interim report on road accidents during the holiday months.—London Spectator.

Dominion Seed Branch

Effective Work Carried On For Benefit Of The Agriculture

The Dominion Seed Branch encourages the production of superior seeds for domestic requirements and export; performs field inspection of seed crops for registration, and for certification as to purity of variety and quality; grades all field seeds offered for sale on the basis of control samples or of official samples drawn by inspectors; maintains laboratories for the analysis of seeds, feeding stuffs, fertilizers, binder twine, insecticides and fungicides; supplies markets information and develops the marketing of these products, and of hay and straw which are graded on request; administers the Seeds Act, Feeding Stuffs Act, Fertilizers Act, Inspection and Sale Act, and Agricultural Pests Control Act. The branch organization includes four main divisions, and for the enforcement of the Acts Canada is divided into seven inspection districts each supported by a service laboratory.

Means What It Says

"Until death do us part" means something when Prince Edward Islanders stand before the altar. There was not one divorce action in the province during 1932, and only two divorces have been recorded since confederation.

A camera for aeroplane panorama photography registers 270 square miles.

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Bank Washes Money

Handles All Cash Taken In Adjoining Fish Market

There is a bank close to Billingsgate which handles most of the cash taken in that fish market. This bank set apart a room as a "laundry," where more than 200 pounds of silver received from the market used to be cleaned every night. Attached to almost every coin were scraps of fish and freezing salt, and frequently the money turned green. The coins were boiled several hours in a solution containing washing soda and various chemicals.

Now some fish firms clean their money before sending it to the bank, but nearly all manage to keep coins away as much as possible from contact with the fish. Most of the bank notes, though, that pass through the market are still sent to the Bank of England to be destroyed.

Good News For Dog Lovers

Dread Disease Of Distemper Can Be Prevented and Cured

After ten years of patient research two English scientists have made a discovery which will be welcomed by all dog-lovers. Distemper, the dread canine disease can now be prevented and cured.

That their research involved experiments upon hundreds of dogs may be distasteful to some people but any suffering that may have been caused by these animals is amply justified by the results.

AMY'S WONDERFUL WELCOME AT CROYDON



It must be a hard job for press photographers to keep track of Amy Johnson Mollison, considered to be one of the finest aviators in the British Empire. One day she is in Cape Town, then in Paris, and again in London. Here we see her receiving a wonderful welcome at Croydon, London, at the completion of the round trip to Cape Town and back in record time. Mrs. Mollison is her husband, Captain Mollison, who also holds several records for flying. In the background between the happy couple is Sir Malcolm Campbell, holder of the world's land record for automobiles.

Turnips Are Popular

Canadian Product Is Favored In Markets Of United States

"Imported" turnips are becoming popular in U.S. menus, according to statistics which have been issued by the Canadian National Railways concerning Canadian turnips.

"By such humble instruments as the turnip, Canada's foreign export trade is being advanced," states the agricultural department of the railroad. "Because of its tender quality, the Canadian turnip has been finding sudden favor in markets in the United States as widespread as from New England to Florida and as far west as Texas. During the past year the Canadian National Railways shipped no less than 2,000 carloads or about 1,200,000 bushels of turnips to points in the United States. Refrigerator cars are used exclusively in handling the traffic. These turnips all come from farms in Eastern Ontario and Prince Edward Island, the entire crop of the latter province being sold to the New England and New York markets."

A Famous School

Law School At Dalhousie Produced Three Prime Ministers

The law school at Dalhousie consists of only about one small dark room, with ancient desks on which are carved initials of many of Canada's illustrious men. Around the walls are hanging pictures of the graduating classes. One can pick out no less than three Canadian prime ministers, Sir John Thompson, Sir Robert Borden and Mr. Bennett. Many names are to be found of men who have made their mark in the legal profession, on the bench, in politics and in business across Canada.—London Free Press.

White: "Your wife used to be so nervous. Now she seems quite cured." Green: "She is. The doctor told her nervousness was a sign of old age."



PASSENGER: "We can't sit here all day, driver! What are we going to do?" DRIVER (fed up): "Well, 'ow about making a nice snowman?"—The Humorist, London.

Much Annoyance Is Caused By Heavy Exchange Rates Against Canadian Dollar In U. S.

The Wheat Kings

Canada Has Won Highest Award In Wheat Eighteen Times

Since the contest for the world's wheat championship was inaugurated in 1911, Canada has won the highest award eighteen times. At the last International Grain and Hay Show held at Chicago from November 26 to December 3, 1932, inclusive, 80 of the 85 awards for hard red spring wheat went to Canadian competitors, including the championship won by Herman Treile of Winnipeg, Peace River, Alberta. The winners of the championship in the past twenty-two years are as follows:—

- 1911—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
- 1912—Henry Holmes, Alberta.
- 1913—Paul Gerlach, Saskatchewan.
- 1914—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
- 1915—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
- 1916—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
- 1917—Sam Larcombe, Manitoba.
- 1918—Seager Wheeler, Saskatchewan.
- 1919—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
- 1920—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
- 1921—G. W. Kraft, Montana, U.S.A.
- 1922—R. O. Wyler, Saskatchewan.
- 1923—Major H. G. L. Strange, Alberta.
- 1924—J. C. Mitchell, Saskatchewan.
- 1925—J. P. Yates, Montana, U.S.A.
- 1926—Herman Treile, Alberta.
- 1927—C. Edison Smith, Montana, U.S.A.
- 1928—C. Edison Smith, Montana, U.S.A.
- 1929—Jos. H. B. Smith, Alberta.
- 1930—Herman Treile, Alberta.
- 1931—Herman Treile, Alberta.
- 1932—Herman Treile, Alberta.

Russia Issues New Order

Housewives Under 56 Deprived Of Bread and Sugar

On the eve of the end of the five-year plan Russian housewives under 56 learned that beginning with the first of this year they would be deprived of bread and sugar, of which they now receive small rations.

This action, reflecting the food shortage in Russia, is an extension of the government's "no work—no food" policy and apparently is designed to inject more women into industrial occupations with the view to ultimate abolition of the home as the unit of family life.

At the height of the campaign which has been waged for several years to draw more women into industry a census of Moscow showed there were approximately 100,000 housewives in the city at the end of 1931.

At the same time it was estimated the number would be reduced by half at the end of this year. Eighteen per cent. of the 100,000 were over 60.

Grow Outs In China

Canadian Oats Introduced By Missionary May Help To Supplant Rice

Canadian oats have been acclimatized to conditions in western China and are being distributed in quantity from West China Union University. Under this condition it is considered that the introduction of oats will add ultimately an important article to the diet of large numbers of people. The experiment has not yet reached the commercial stage, but will be watched with interest.

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Urges Music Study

Study of music in the schools, not with a view to a professional singing career but as a valuable adjunct to success in business endeavor, was recommended in Toronto by Edward Johnson, native of Guelph, Ont., and distinguished tenor of the New York Metropolitan Opera Company.

Canadians are both annoyed and mystified by the treatment their dollars receive in the United States. They know that conditions across the line are much worse than in the Dominion. Also, they are aware that, while banks in the Republic have been collapsing by the hundreds, there is not even a whisper against these institutions in their own country. Of course, the people of Canada realize that this condition is brought about by mysterious agencies such as exchanges and the balance of trade, but these explanations do not satisfy. This question is dealt with sympathetically by the Saginaw (Michigan) News in the following editorial comment:

Canada does not understand but does resent the continuing fall of the Canadian dollar on the New York money market. Recently it is a sympathetic reaction to the drop in the British pound sterling, accentuated by the war-debt mess. As a matter of fact, though, the Canadian financial system has nothing to do with the British system of which it is entirely independent. And Canada has no foreign war debt. It bore the entire and heavy cost of participation in the war through internal loans and internal financing, and owes no other country anything on account of the war.

A Canadian \$82,000,000 internal loan was oversubscribed; no Canadian obligation has been defaulted in the United States; Canada has maintained its export trade at a higher percentage than this country. It has had no bank failures all through the depression; no disorders; no defaulted Government bonds; no element of insecurity for private investment; but it finds its dollar heavily discounted. In the circumstances it is not to be wondered at that the Canadian is puzzled over the problem.

It is an issue which should interest this country because one effect of the decline is further to discourage Canadian buying in the United States. As a result, the Canadian has been a very good customer.

It will be noted that the Michigan paper dwells upon the discouragement of Canada buying in the United States. It is true. The Canadian has been a very good customer. After all, apart from being a cause of annoyance, this discount on the Canadian dollar does not greatly affect the individual Canadian, if he stays at home. True, it has checked his buying of United States goods, and stopped many little excursions over the border, but this country is not the loser by that condition.—Toronto Globe.

Another Unidentified Bird Band

Canadian Wild Goose Is Shot In Princeton, Illinois

Recently the National Parks of Canada, Department of the Interior, received a report stating that a wild goose wearing a band of pink celluloid inscribed "Canada 99" was killed near Princeton, Illinois. "Anyone knowing anything about the placing of this band would help materially by advising the Department of the Interior at Ottawa so that the record for this bird may be completed. The Canadian and United States Governments co-operate in banding investigations and in this way much new and valuable scientific data concerning the migration, and of breeding and wintering grounds of birds is being obtained. The use of other than official bands is not encouraged because unofficial bands have a tendency to confuse the Official Records. Information about the free distribution of official bands may be had upon application to the Commissioner of National Parks, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada.

Stream Flow In The Middle West

In southern Alberta, following average to above average run-off in May and June, stream flow has been continuously below normal, averaging only from 60 to 70 per cent. of the average monthly flows from July to October, inclusive, according to records of the Dominion Water Power and Hydrometric Bureau of the Department of the Interior. In southern Saskatchewan the run-off has been even less and the summer flow, from May to October, inclusive, has had a monthly average only 35 to 55 per cent. of normal.

Whales are to be caught by electricity, which will stun them and cause them to rise to the water's surface, in the White Sea, Russia.

France has been seeking ways for government support of the wheat market.

Coal production in Germany is increasing.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Free State Department of Education estimates it will take 20 years to make the Free State bilingual to the same extent as Canada.

A Royal Canadian Mounted Police training station is to be established in Halifax. About 25 men a month will be graduated at Wellington barracks.

The hottest day in two summers was recorded at Buenos Aires, when the temperature reached 101.5 degrees Fahrenheit on December 31. One case of sunstroke occurred.

The ending of Soviet Russia's first five-year plan and the beginning of the second plan has been acclaimed at Moscow, Russia, by the Soviet press.

The Ontario Government has placed a herd of elk on a 300-acre reserve near Peterborough, with the intention of ultimately stocking the forests with them.

Dr. W. W. Yen, head of the Chinese delegation to the League of Nations during the past year, was appointed ambassador to Russia by the Nationalist government.

Another of the problems that bother blind folk has been solved. The first cheque ever written in "Braille" has been cashed by the Bank of Manhattan Company at New York.

A collection of portraits of members of all the royal families of Europe is to be left to the British Museum. It has been compiled by Mrs. Thomas Brookhank, now more than 80 years old.

A bronze bust of Bliss Carman, the poet, whose ashes lie in Forest Hill cemetery in Fredericton, has arrived from British Columbia and will be placed in the library of the University of New Brunswick.

Eyes and Nervous Strain

Trying To See In Bad Light Causes Waste Of Energy

Your whole body wastes energy when your eyes are strained by trying to see in bad light, reported Doctor M. Luckless and Frank Moss at a session of the American Association for the advancement of science. Nervous muscular tension, a main reading a book increases or decreases in direct proportion to the amount of light falling on the book.

A possible aid to study of cancer, discovery of the organism that apparently plays a leading part in producing cancer in plants was described by Dr. Michael Levine, of Montegione Hospital, New York.

The organism has isolated seems to be what causes cells of a plant to multiply rapidly and produce a tumor. Human cancer results from a similar abnormally fast growth of cells, but the organism that causes it is not known.

Study of how the organism works, said Dr. Levine, may throw some light on the cancer problem in general.

Unusual Law Suits

Judge In Scotland Puzzled Over Case About Bees

Because a swarm of bees alighted on the land of Henry Gow, of Dunfermline, Scotland, Peter Coutts has twice sued Gow. The first time he sued Coutts for the value of the bees. At the end of the honey season he demanded the price of honey which he said he would have had if Gow had sent the buzzers home. Gow claims that in their first season in a new home bees do not produce honey so that he really is out the cost of feeding them. The puzzled judge postponed the case to think it over.

Perfect Book Is Short

Opinion Given By Prince George In Address At London

Prince George functioned as a book-critic for a few moments when he addressed the Incorporated Society of Authors, Playwrights, and Composers at London recently, and formulated his ideal of the perfect book.

"I think," he said, "most people feel that books should be short. Most of us have only odd moments to read, and we want information or entertainment in a form that we can grip as quickly as possible."

Idea Did Not Work

Stewards on the "Empress of Britain" had arranged to get George Bernard Shaw's signature to sell to autograph seekers. When one purchases drinks in the Cathay lounge one signs a bill. The stewards intended to pay for the drinks themselves and keep the bill—until they discovered Shaw was a teetotaler.

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THE PRINCE PURCHASES SPEEDIER CRAFT FOR HIS JAUNTS



Our picture shows the Prince of Wales in the usual informal dress in which he makes his flights, while in the background is a photo of the new "Fomouth" he has purchased for his private use. The machine is fitted with a 150 h.p. Gipsy Major engine, has a continuous cruising speed of 110 miles an hour. It is a similar type of machine to that which won the King's Cup Race around Britain last July. Painted in royal blue and dark red, colours of the Household Brigade, the machine is reported to be the acme of perfection.

Business For Coast Province

B.C. Likely To Increase Apple and Lumber Exports To Britain

British Columbia should reap important benefits from the new trade agreement between Canada and Germany. Provincial plants should obtain a share of the \$10,000,000 increased market for wood pulp with Germany and the B.C. apple market should be considerably enlarged.

British Columbia may increase her lumber exports to the United Kingdom during the coming year to 152,000,000 feet. This compares with 87,000,000 feet shipped during the past year, a gain of more than 70 per cent, or treble that shipped in 1931, when 50,000,000 feet created a record.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LEMON MINCEMEAT

- 4 lemons.
- 2 apples.
- 1 pound currants.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup raisins.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped nuts.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ cup melted butter.
- 2 cups sugar.
- 1 teaspoon salt.
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon.
- 1 teaspoon ground nutmeg.
- 1 teaspoon ground cloves.
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger.
- 1 teaspoon ground allspice.

Squeeze juice from lemons and cook peel until soft. Put through meat-chopper and then rub through a sieve. Add chopped apples and remaining ingredients, mix well and store in jars. Use as a filling for turnovers and pies.

SHREDDED WHEAT CREOLE

- 6 shredded wheat biscuits.
- 3 cups hot meat stock.
- 2 tablespoons bacon fat.
- 2 tablespoons minced onion.
- 2 eggs.
- Salt and pepper.
- 2 tablespoons tomato catsup.
- 2 tablespoons minced green pepper.

Crumble shredded wheat biscuit and cook until thick in boiling meat stock. Mix with bacon fat, onion, pepper, beaten egg yolks, seasoning, and catsup. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake (30 minutes) in a moderate oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit). Serve hot with grilled tomatoes, 6 portions.

Potash in commercial quantities is being recovered from the Dead Sea.

Tax Refunds

U.S. Government Refunds Huge Amounts On Income Tax

That very pleasant feeling you get when you find you have been overcharged and get some of your money back has come to thousands of individuals and business houses.

The United States government refunded \$80,583,564 last year, all because taxpayers' through some error paid too much money in that or in previous years.

Several refunds amounted to more than \$1,000,000. The United Fruit Company of Boston got \$2,500,000 was returned to the Lehigh and Wilkes Barre Coal Company of Pennsylvania.

Douglas Fairbanks, movie star, had \$2,186 returned, and Roman Navarro got back \$7,604.

Measure Nature's "Jitters"

Scientists Learn How Water Makes Steam, Or Coal Heat

Measuring old Mother Nature's "jitters," a trillion times worse than the worst stage fright, is science's latest way of learning how water makes steam, or coal makes heat. It's done by measuring the energy in a single "jitter" or vibration of a molecule, which was described before the American Association for the Advancement of Science. If the jitters get strong enough, the molecule's atoms will fly apart and combine again in different formation, which is what happens when fuel burns or liquid turns into a gas.

English bellringers held a convention in London recently.

France produced 892,410,000 gallons of wine in 1928.

Strong Annual Statement by Royal Bank of Canada

Total Assets Stand at \$765,512,920—Of This Amount Liquid Assets are \$355,929,912, Equal to 52.86% of Liabilities to the Public—Included Therein are Cash Holdings of \$164,630,724, Being Over 24% of Public Liabilities—Savings Deposits Well Maintained.

The annual statement just issued to shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada supplies further striking evidence of the satisfactory manner in which leading Canadian financial institutions have passed through the unsettled conditions of the past year. Every part of the statement reflects the strength of the bank's position. Curtailed industrial and trading activity is reflected in lower commercial loans and an increase in liquid assets. The latter show a marked increase over the previous year, and are now equal to 52.86% of its liabilities to the public. Included in them are cash holdings which alone aggregate over 24% of public liabilities. Savings deposits have been well maintained, particularly in face of the large Government plans put out during the year. Earnings, due to lessened business activity throughout the country, show a slight recession, but were amply sufficient to cover dividends and the usual appropriations.

Strong Liquid Position

The statement, which is for the financial year ended November 30th, shows total assets of \$765,512,920. Of this amount, liquid assets, amounting to the large sum of \$355,929,912, equal to 52.86% of all liabilities to the public. Cash holdings, aggregating \$164,630,724 and forming one of the striking features of the report, represent over 24% of liabilities to the public.

Dominion and Provincial Government securities are \$89,448,844, compared with \$85,473,658 at the end of the previous year, and Canadian municipal securities and British, foreign and colonial public securities \$29,704,474, up from \$24,641,816.

The various loan accounts reflect current business conditions, and are well maintained over the previous year. Commercial loans now stand at \$300,562,286, against \$419,345,043, thanks to the fact that Canada have been reduced to \$28,951,263 from \$39,137,268, and call loans elsewhere to \$36,400,142 from \$37,156,111. Reduced import and export trade account for the reduction in letters of credit to \$20,092,951 from \$28,968,506.

Deposits at Satisfactory Level.

Deposits have been well maintained. Total deposits at \$619,094,143 show a reduction for the year of less than 7% from \$664,796,718. Savings deposits make a very gratifying showing, and at \$168,391,155 are down less than \$5,000,000. In view of the large Government loans floated during the year, the total would indicate a tendency among depositors to keep ample cash balances and to add steadily to their savings. Non-interest bearing deposits, the main ones being the working balances of business and farming customers, reflect the curtailment of trade activity and lower prices, edging down to \$128,983,105 from \$170,913,903.

Shareholders will be interested in seeing that the reduction in loan accounts has more than offset the reduction in commercial deposits. At the same time, the strong liquid position means that just as soon as trade recovers the bank is in a position to take care of increased requirements of its customers.

Earnings have held up well, especially in view of the lessened business activity and the lower interest rates at reserve centres. Profits for the year were \$4,881,846, compared with \$4,448,327. They fully covered dividend requirements of \$3,850,000; contributed to the Pension Fund \$200,000; appropriation for bank reserves \$200,000 and reserve for Dominion Canada \$24,641,816.

For a number of years the bank has carried an unusually large amount in undivided profits. This year, however, it has authorized a transfer of \$3,000,000 of this amount to investment depreciation reserve. This will be regarded as a conservative move, strengthening as it does the inner reserves of the bank to the extent of leaving \$1,166,950 to be carried forward to credit of Profit and Loss Account.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 15

JESUS AT WORK

Golden Text: "My Father worketh even until now, and I work"—John 5:17.

Lesson: Mark 1:21-45.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 61:1-6.

Explanations and Comments

Jesus' Authoritative Teaching. Verses 21, 22.—With His four disciples Jesus went to Capernaum on the Sabbath entered and taught in the synagogue. In the synagogue worship after the recitation of the Schema (Deuteronomy 6:4-8; 11:13-21) and the prayer, a lesson was read from the Law (Pentateuch) and another lesson from the Prophets. There was no permanent preacher, but a customary for the chief ruler of the synagogue, who had charge of the services, to ask a distinguished visitor to explain the lessons. Upon this occasion he called upon Jesus for this service. As the people listened to Jesus they were all amazed at the tone of authority with which He spoke, so unlike the scribbles which constantly mentioned some great name of the past as the authority back of their words. Recall the phrase so often repeated in the Sermon on the Mount, "I say unto you." The highest praise for a scribe was that he resembled a cemented cistern, which lost no drop of water put into it. He was bound never to teach otherwise than as he had been taught. Christ as a teacher was not a cistern but a spring, clear, abundant, and perennial.

"Whence came this authority?" Undoubtedly from God, whose beloved Son and personal Messenger He was. But on the human side we find three things in the teaching of Jesus which are sources of power.

"First, knowledge; direct, real experience of God. Second, sincerity; the straight and simple utterance of a heart loyal to the truth. Third, love."

"We need more of these three things if we desire, as followers of Christ, to speak with authority"—Henry Van Dyke.

Jesus' Authority Over Demons. Verses 23-26.—There are six cases of demon-possession described in Mark 5, 7, 9; and in Matthew 9 and 12. There is a reference in Luke 8:2 to the cure of Mary Magdalene, and there are general references to many demoniacal cases, as in verse 16 of our lesson text. Today we speak of such cases as insanity, epilepsy, deafness, dumbness, or nervous trouble.

Score For Doctor Koo

Yusuke Matsuo told the League of Nations that Japan regarded a boycott as worse than a military attack, to which Dr. Wellington Koo replied that if that were true, China would much prefer that Japan boycott her goods than invade her country with arms. And, as we see it, the doc won that one.

The common garden mole has eyes, but they are very small and sunken almost beneath the skin.

China expects a construction boom.

A Remarkable Achievement

Great Improvement Is Shown In Producing Bacon Type Of Hogs

A statement recently issued by the Sheep and Swine Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture with respect to Canada's bacon hog industry observes:

"When the complete hog grading statistics for the year 1932 are added up, it will be found that on our total hog marketings of the year over 2,500,000 market hogs sold for slaughter under the Hog Grading Regulations. This represents an improvement which will have graded as select bacon or bacon. The above figures show a remarkable achievement for the hog raisers of the Dominion. It means that Canada, in a period of a little over ten years, has reaped the fruits of the industry, creating as the backbone of the industry an ample supply of breeding stock of select bacon type with feeding and productive qualities which place our best hog raisers in the front rank of type, quality and economic production."

Club Work Effective

Folks Which Should Receive Special Attention In Connection With Boys' and Girls' Swine Clubs

Five points which receive special attention in connection with Boys and Girls' Swine Club work in the carrying out of which the federal and provincial Departments of Agriculture co-operate are detailed as follows:

1. The location and distribution to club members of young pigs of good bacon type and breeding. Of these, many of the best females are kept over for breeding purposes.
2. The giving of practical instruction to club members at their homes or through lectures at club meetings.
3. The distribution of printed or mimeographed information regarding the breeding, feeding, management, judging and marketing of swine.
4. The arrangement and conduct of judging and other forms of demonstrations.
5. The securing of good bacon type hogs for club districts.

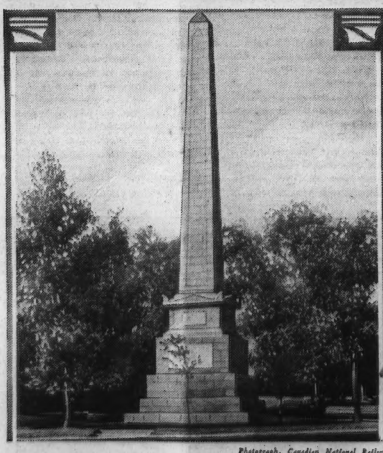
Finda Cannibal Snail

E. A. Marchant of Wanganui has discovered a giant "cannibal" snail in the mountains of the North Island of New Zealand. Marchant placed four of them in a box, with some fresh vegetation for food, but when he opened the box found that the biggest had eaten the others.

More than 1,110,000,000 national savings certificates have been sold in Britain.

Belfast, Ireland, has a campaign to reduce school study programmes.

+ Do You Know? +



Photograph, Canadian National Railway

WHAT is believed to be the only monument in the world erected to the memory of the commanders of opposing armies is the Wolfe Mountain Monument to General Wolfe, the victor, and General Montcalm, the vanquished, commanders respectively of the British and French armies in the decisive battle of the Plains of Abraham. The inscription on the monument reads: "Their valor gave them the same death, history the same fame and posterity the same monument." It is located in Quebec City.

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DEMAND VOICED BY MULCAHY FOR UNITED IRELAND

Dublin, Irish Free State.—Political circles were astounded when Richard Mulcahy, former minister of defence and front bench member of William T. Cosgrave's Cumann na nGaedheal, voiced a demand for immediate union of the Free State and Northern Ireland.

The only alternative to union, Mr. Mulcahy said, was "a 26-country republic and endless ill-will."

In a fiery election address he blamed Great Britain for partition of Ireland and denounced the oath of allegiance to the king.

Partisans expressed the fear his stand might split the ranks of Mr. Cosgrave's party and give added strength to President Eamon de Valera's republican forces in the whirlwind campaign preceding January 24, polling day.

"Too much respect for British sentiment," Mr. Mulcahy said, "has helped make the 1921 treaty (under which the Free State was constituted) unworkable by inclusion in it of the oath of allegiance and by a long struggle to keep up antiquated legalisms like the privy council."

"The only alternative to a 26-country republic and endless ill-will is union of Ireland."

He declared his belief a new treaty smoothing out political and economic relations between the United Kingdom and the Free State is the only basis on which a lasting settlement of difference between the two countries is possible.

He urged withdrawal of Nationalist members from the parliament of Northern Ireland and opening of an office in London to conduct propaganda seeking to force the North into the Free State.

Mr. Cosgrave issued a vigorous denial today that his party was receiving financial assistance from the United Kingdom in its effort to win the election.

The Cumann na nGaedheal leader's statement was prompted by an article in the *Pianna Fall* (Republican) newspaper that "Britain is intriguing to get Mr. Cosgrave back into power."

Mr. de Valera opened his campaign tonight on College Green by telling 20,000 persons the link revoking the oath of allegiance to the king would become law despite the senate if the government is returned to power.

Gets Temporary Credit

Calgary Obtains Funds To Carry On In Financial Crisis

Calgary, Alberta.—Guarantee of temporary credit to maintain city services was obtained by the city of Calgary from the Bank of Montreal and negotiations were under way towards establishing a definite credit at the bank to aid the city in its financial crisis.

Statements by Mayor Andy Davidson and H. C. Francis, local manager of the Bank of Montreal, made it clear the bank was providing only sufficient funds to meet the maturing obligations of the city. Negotiations, however, had reached such a stage that hope of ending the impasse regarding the definite amount of credit was high.

Many Staking Claims

Hundreds Seeking Wealth In Manitoba's New Mineral Fields

Winnipeg, Man.—Manitoba's newest mineral fields, God's Lake and Island Lake, 350 miles northeast of Winnipeg, where hundreds of prospectors seek wealth this winter, has attracted attention anew.

Two thousand claims have been staked in the two mineral areas and the rush to record these has swamped the Manitoba mines branch offices. It has been announced a resurvey would be made immediately and the tangle straightened out.

Prof. Picard Sails

Have, France.—Prof. Auguste Picard, explorer of the stratosphere, has sailed for Canada and United States. After a lecture tour he is expected to investigate possibilities of a flight to the stratosphere from Hudson Bay region.

Canadian Art In England

Ottawa, Ont.—Canadian water colors will be exhibited in at least 12 of the largest cities in Great Britain in the next year and a half, officials of the National Gallery stated here recently.

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Cancel Interest On Farm Loans

Saskatchewan Taking Measures To Lift Burden From Farmers

Regina, Sask.—Official announcement was made by Premier J. T. M. Anderson, in a province-wide radio broadcast that the government will ask the legislature at the coming session to cancel one year's interest on all Saskatchewan farm board loans in the province. The period is to date from November 1, 1931, to November 1, 1932.

Those who have paid their interest for the period mentioned will be credited with the payment on their principal.

All arrears of interest previous to November 1, 1931, will be amortized and made payable over a period of five years.

It has also been decided by the government to seek sanction of the legislature to amortize other charges and arrears of principal as of November 1, 1932, over a period of 10 years, the first payment to be made November 1, 1933, with interest chargeable on the amount amortized at six and a half per cent. the rate now fixed by the legislature.

A reduction of one and a half per cent. on amortized interest is being made by the government. The amount involved in the interest amortization in the five-year plan is approximately \$1,375,717, while the amount of arrears and principal charges being amortized over 10 years is \$974,978.88.

General action by commercial lending institutions along the lines of extension of interest arrears and postponement of principal payments was foreshadowed by the premier.

Unemployment Insurance

Ontario Government Views Proposal With Sympathy

Toronto, Ont.—The Ontario Government views the proposal of general unemployment insurance with sympathy and will seek to have it in operation at the earliest possible moment, Premier George S. Henry told a delegation of the Ontario executive of the trades and labor congress.

The delegation was accompanied by Tom Mowbray to Ottawa, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, and a request that the Ontario Government lead in advocating unemployment insurance at the forthcoming Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa was the feature of the proposals advocated by the delegation.

Another request that Labor be represented at the conference, was a matter for the Dominion Government, Mr. Henry said.

Other requests were: Amendments to the Liquor Control Act providing for beer-by-the-glass.

Romanoff Treasures

Famous Russian Collection Is Shown In New York

New York.—Treasures from the Romanoff palaces—\$15,000 jewelled Easter eggs, a "quill pen" fashioned of gold diamonds, emeralds and 2,200 pearls, lavish dinner services and icons 400 years old were placed on exhibit in a Fifth Avenue department store.

They formed a \$1,000,000 collection acquired by the three Hammer brothers, Armand, Victor and Harry, during the nine years they operated various concessions under the Soviet government, including a monopoly on pencils and stationery. By selling their American automobile factory there to the Soviets they won permission to take the treasures out of the country.

Would Reduce Dollar Value

Senator Borah Wants U.S. To Go Off Gold Standard

Washington.—Senator W. E. Borah is preparing a bill to make the United States dollar buy less and by its enactment he hopes to help the farmers and improve economic conditions generally.

"Thirty-two nations have gone off the gold standard and we are still on it," Borah said. "That has practically destroyed the hope of our farmers to get a real price for their products. How are you going to remedy that until you remedy the money situation?"

Submerged Continent

Calcutta, India.—An expedition to search for traces of a submerged continent that once may have linked India and Africa will leave here for Aden next August, under command of Colonel R. B. Seymour Swell, director of zoological survey in India.

Study Wheat Situation

Groups Being Organized In Saskatchewan For This Purpose

Prince Albert, Sask.—After being addressed by C. H. Puckering, who spoke on behalf of the Regina World Grain Show, the local board of trade decided to form a group which will make a study of the wheat situation and prepare recommendations as to how it is believed the ills of the industry can best be cured. Thirty such groups have now been organized in Saskatchewan.

Mr. Puckering declared other countries are organizing upon similar lines, the purpose being to formulate plans for action which will be considered at the conference to be held in conjunction with the grain exhibition in the capital city next year. Mr. Puckering expressed the belief it is up to Saskatchewan to impress upon representatives of European countries that it would be best for them to grow their crops and instead of producing their own wheat to buy the best bread wheat available, which Canada can supply.

Nothing In Report

Great Britain Not Sending Debts Missed To United States

London, England.—Reports in a newspaper that Great Britain plans to send a war debts mission to the United States soon were denied in authoritative quarters.

The next developments in the debts situation, it was explained, may be expected after an exchange of views through diplomatic channels which may take weeks.

The British view is that the debts negotiations eventually will become a part of the projected world economic conference or will be carried on parallel to that meeting.

RAILWAY MEN ASK ADJUSTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT

Toronto, Ont.—A petition has been forwarded to Earl Bessborough, Governor-General, on behalf of some 7,000 railway engineers and firemen and 14,000 conductors, brakemen, and others pleading for readjustment of hours of employment so that there will be a more equitable distribution of work on the railways.

The petition was sent by I. E. Weldon, K.C., of Toronto, for the Canadian Re-employment, Railwaymen's Association which has branches in many centres in Canada and which declares approximately half the railway employees in Canada are out of work. It is pointed out some employees work as much as 80 hours a week.

One hundred miles, in freight service, is considered equivalent to an eight-hour day. It is requested employed railwaymen be restricted to 26 work days a month.

As the Canadian people own the Canadian National, and because the government "has great influence with the Canadian Pacific," it is urged immediate steps be taken to revise the hours of labor. It is suggested His Excellency ask the C.P.R. to adopt the plan outlined and if unable to proceed by private negotiation to proceed under the Industrial Disputes Act.

M. BONCOUR PUTS HIS HOUSE IN ORDER



M. Paul Boncour, the new Prime Minister of France, was caught by our photographer, leaving the Elysee, Paris, after forming the Cabinet which was accepted by the Chamber of Deputies after M. Herriot had resigned and M. Chautemps had failed to form a government.

KING CELEBRATES



King Alexander of Yugoslavia may be harassed by various sections of his country, but the nation united this month to share with him in festivities on his birthday. Even in London, special services were held in the Russian Churches to celebrate the happy anniversary.

Heirs Claim Estate

Seven Persons Bring Suit Against University Of Alberta

Calgary, Alberta.—Governors of the University of Alberta have been named defendants in a suit instituted by seven persons resident in England to recover an Alberta estate awarded the University under the Ultimate Heirs Act.

The plaintiffs are Ellen Machley, William E. Sirrell, Arthur Bartlett, Catherine Sirrell, Arthur James Sirrell, John Sirrell and Evelyn Bray, all of Bromyard, Herefordshire, England, who claim Henry Sirrell, bachelor, who died intestate in December, 1929, was their brother.

When Henry Sirrell died at his home at Del Bonita, Alberta, he left an estate worth \$30,000. Efforts of a trust company, placed in charge, to ascertain whereabouts of relatives failed, and the estate was awarded the university. The plaintiffs claim they were unaware of their brother's death until recently, and now ask the estate be awarded them jointly.

Debtor-Creditor Legislation

Relief Measures To Come Before Next Session Of Alberta Legislature

Edmonton, Alberta.—Debtor-creditor legislation and unemployment relief measures to be passed on will dominate the programme to be placed before the Alberta legislature, provisionally scheduled to open February 2. Premier John Brownlee said today every effort was being made to keep the business to a minimum in all departments.

No undue changes in taxation are expected to come before the members although there may be some slight readjustments. Premier Brownlee, however, declared he would not go as far as the Saskatchewan Government in announcing that not a single new tax or increase in present taxes would be introduced.

Gets Five Years

Calgary, Alberta.—Roman Jugwicz, 22-year-old Calgary youth, was sentenced to five years in penitentiary by Magistrate H. H. Scott, when charged with the armed robbery of the Third Street West branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

China-Japanese Conflict

Estimated Recent Fighting Resulted In Death Of 1700 Chinese Troops

Peiping, China.—Marshal Chang Haino-Liang informed Japanese authorities in a blunt letter that he refused to accept responsibility for the battle of Shanghai and did not care to have any dealing with the Japanese concerning it.

The marshal served notice on General Kotaro Nakamura, Japanese commander in north China, that further communications should be addressed to the Chinese Nationalist Government at Nanking. He placed blame for the Shanghai incident on the Japanese themselves.

Meanwhile it was understood the Chinese were getting ready for another battle in their positions southwest of Shanghai to which they retreated when the gateway city to north China and the province of Jehol was occupied by the Japanese after hard fighting.

Chinese figures estimated the total Chinese military casualties in the Shanghai fighting at 1,700, and they said the civilian casualties were extremely heavy.

One entire battalion of Chinese troops was reported to have been wiped out. Civilian casualties were accounted for by the intense bombardment from land, sea and air.

British authorities took precautions to safeguard British interests in the area of conflict.

French Vessel Wrecked

Luxurious Liner "Atlantique" Destroyed By Fire In English Channel

Cherbourg, France.—The luxurious liner "Atlantique" was wrecked by a furious fire in the English Channel which proceeded to Havre for overhauling without passengers, with the loss of lives placed at 17.

Latest available figures here showed that 228 persons were aboard of whom 211 arrived here during the night on four rescue vessels. The victims either suffocated at their posts of duty or drowned when a lifeboat upset.

All those rescued were utterly exhausted when they were brought here. All their possessions had been lost.

The captain of the liner was the last to leave her. He leaped into the sea and was picked up by a small boat from the steamer "Achilles," which, with the "Rurh" and the "Fort Castles" brought the survivors to Cherbourg.

Men in the boiler rooms were burned to death, the captain told port authorities, and others were overcome by smoke before they could escape. He explained as wireless distress messages were sent out because the operator was asphyxiated at his post.

DE VALERA TO HAVE SUPPORT OF LABOR PARTY

Dublin, Irish Free State.—The Labor party has made a sudden and unexpected decision to support the Republican party of President Eamon de Valera in the general election of January 24.

Its decision followed announcement that former President William T. Cosgrave and Frank McDermott, leader of the National Farmers' League, had abandoned attempts to form a national coalition in opposition to the government because there was not sufficient time to complete their plans.

The sudden decision of the Laborites was taken as an indication they had patched up their differences with Mr. de Valera over reductions in the pay of postal workers.

After a party meeting, William Norton, Labor leader and secretary of the Post Office Workers' Union, said his party was proud of the stand President de Valera had taken on the national question.

He said his party believed the economic and political development of the country depended on maintaining the nation's "rights" and "meeting and beating external aggression, whether military or economic." This was a reference to the tariff war with the United Kingdom, which was started by refusal of Mr. de Valera's government to pay land annuities to the Bank of England.

Nomination of some 260 candidates for the seats in the dail is expected to be completed soon. The government will have 88 candidates in the field, the Cumann na nGaedheal about 100, Labor about 24, the National Farmers' Union about 30, and Independents about 20.

SUDDEN DEATH OF CALVIN COOLIDGE CAME AS SHOCK

Northampton, Mass.—Calvin Coolidge, 30th president of the United States, died suddenly January 31. He was 60 years old on July 4th.

Returning from a shopping tour, Mrs. Coolidge found the body of her husband on the bed in a room at the Beeches, the estate to which he retired at the conclusion of his career at the national capital.

His death was wholly unexpected, although for the past three weeks Mr. Coolidge had complained of indigestion. Doctors said death was due to heart failure.

Born in a little house which is now the general store at Plymouth, Vt., Coolidge had made this city his home since his graduation from Amherst college in 1885.

Retirement from the presidency brought few changes to Mr. Coolidge's mode of life. While, with the exception of two addresses delivered on behalf of Mr. Hoover in the recent campaign he eschewed direct politics, he did write numerous magazine articles on political or semi-political subjects.

Born and reared on a Vermont farm, Calvin Coolidge was destined to go by succession to the highest and mightiest office of a great nation, to administer its affairs for six years and to terminate his presidential career virtually of his own volition.

Reaching the presidency upon the death of Warren G. Harding in 1923, Vice-President Coolidge was confronted with problems of rehabilitation arising from the World War and the depression of 1921, and almost at once the country was shaken by the scandals which revealed in the naval oil leases, the justice department and the office of the custodian of alien property.

As early as the spring of 1927 there was widespread opinion that if Mr. Coolidge wished to be re-elected he had only to indicate it. By his own confession, this view was shared by Mr. Coolidge himself, regardless of the popular tradition that a president must retire after his second term.

The nation was startled when on August 2, 1927, the president issued his famous statement:

"I do not choose to run for president in 1928."

All For Peace

Prominent Quakers In England Strong For Disarmament

London, Eng.—Refusing "to pay tribute to war chests," Miss E. N. Kitching, prominent Quaker worker, has sent the British inland revenue authorities a cheque for about half the amount of income tax which she was assessed.

In an accompanying letter she declined to pay the balance, alleging "it goes for war purposes."

Miss Kitching said today: "It would ill become a missionary in the cause of peace to pay tribute to war chests. Officials can seize my bureau and bed or commit me to prison. If tens of thousands of people would take such a course disarmament would speedily come about at Geneva."

Directors Are Elected

Canadian Aberdeen-Angus Association Chooses Officers For 1933

Winnipeg, Man.—Directors of the Canadian Aberdeen-Angus association for 1933, elected by mail ballot, are announced by Secretary W. Crawford here as follows:

Manitoba—Harry Leader, Portage; John Hume, Souris.

Saskatchewan—W. J. F. Warren, Belcourt; W. D. Lyon, Deverton. Alberta and British Columbia—S. J. Henderson, Lacombe; A. E. Ward Jones, Calgary; Roy Balhorn, Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

The annual meeting of the association will be held at Calgary, March 28.

Form Of Address

Bismarck, N.D.—The question as to whether members of the legislature should address the woman Speaker of the House as Mr. Speaker, Mrs. Speaker or Madame Speaker is a puzzle no longer. Mrs. Mina Craig, newly elected Speaker, decided she liked "Madame Speaker" best.

Johns Radium Plant

Calgary, Alberta.—W. B. Friend, instructor in science and physics at Mount Royal College has gone to Port Hope, Ont., to join the staff of the new radium plant there.

Running True To Form

Britain Doing Without Money To Help Small Dominions

When the government of New Zealand was in financial difficulties last year it asked the British Government, to whom it owed a large sum for war debts, to forego the annual instalment until times were better. Britain immediately consented, and granted the same privilege to Australia which was in the same straitened circumstances.

Now New Zealand is getting back on its feet. It feels capable of paying, and like a loyal member of the family has offered to pay.

But John Bull has turned back the offer. He has told the son way in the Antipodes that what he said last year still stands. No doubt the same procedure will be taken with regard to Australia which has also said it can now pay.

In other words John Bull has said: "Thanks, son, but I can rub along without it. I've been pretty hard hit, but you need money perhaps more than I do. Look after yourself, and we'll talk about this some other time, but not now. Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year to you."

Isn't that just like the old man?—St Thomas Times-Journal.

Astronomers Puzzled

Display Of Meteors Expected In November Failed To Arrive

Astronomers all over the world are baffled.

For more than a month they searched the night sky for a spectacular display of meteors, which it was predicted would appear last November.

The meteors have not arrived. The astronomers have stopped watching and all they will say is that there is a possibility that the much-boomed display of celestial fireworks may take place in November, 1933.

Astronomers based their calculations for a super-shower of meteors in 1932 on a wonderful display seen by Von Humboldt, the explorer, in 1799.

Every 33 or 34 years then there has been a similar visitation. Never before have the calculations as to the date of the next visitation failed.

Last year the only meteors seen by English observers were one or two stray visitants visible at Stowmarket, Bournemouth, Morpeth and in Cornwall.

"There is no real explanation of the failure of the meteors to keep to their timetable," said Dr. A. C. D. Chomelle, formerly of the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, to a newspaper representative. "They may have come in daylight, when they would not be seen. We can only wait till next November to see if our calculations are wrong."

Easy For Halifax Postmen

Letter Had Drawing On Envelope Instead Of Name

Believe it or not, Halifax mailmen were not puzzled when an unaddressed letter arrived for delivery. They knew it was for Frank Barkhouse, because on the envelope was a drawing of a dog, a "wooden" emanating from its gaping jaws, and a house. And here's another, John A. McCurdy, Halifax publisher, met a friend over in England, but forgot to give him his address. The friend sent a letter addressed as follows: John A. McCurdy, the Royal Bank of Canada, Canada. Mr. McCurdy received the letter in Halifax 12 days after it was mailed.

See Encouraging Factors

Last Year Better Than 1931 Opinion Of Prominent Public Men

If the year 1932 did not bring Canada out from under the heavy pall of economic depression it at least displayed a few encouraging factors not evident in the "pale year" of 1931, and at the same time brought home to Canadians the necessity for rigid economies and cautious expenditures. Prominent business and public men of the Dominion expressed this view in an annual review of trade and business conditions published by the Montreal Gazette.

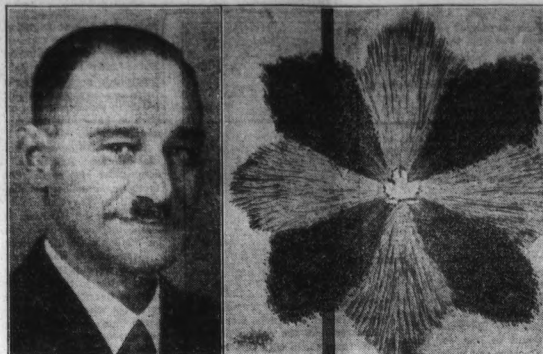
Nearly 2,500,000 people buy one or more of the 65 radio publications in Germany every week.

In Berlin a noisy machine is confiscated by the police and fitted with a silencer at the owner's expense.

England now has only 2,100,000 telephones.

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CANADIAN STARTS DECORATING NEW WORLD'S GRAIN EXHIBITION BUILDING



Above we see R. J. Beesley, member of the Canadian Exhibition Commissioner's staff, who has charge of the decoration of the interior of the majestic new building recently erected at Regina to house the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference in 1933. Mr. Beesley is a native of Old London and has been associated with the exhibition commissioner's work for the past thirteen years, during which time he has taken an active part in the decoration of the Canadian exhibits at Wembley, the World's Poultry Congress, and many State Fairs of the United States. The principal features of the decoration are rural and industrial Canadian scenes in settings elaborately worked out with native grains and grasses (samples of decoration with grains is shown above). When completed, the interior of the World's Grain Show Building will be equal to anything yet attempted in the line of exhibition decoration.

"Bricks" Of Oxygen

Discovery Will Lead To Saving Of Countless Lives

An extraordinary discovery is announced from Germany, where a method has been found of solidifying oxygen into small "bricks" and of so fixing the solid gas that it can be contained with safety in an ordinary sealed tin. In this it can be kept for years without deterioration.

Despite the terrific pressure used to solidify the gas, there is no danger about these oxygen bricks, which cannot explode. Each of them, though, contains as much gas as would fill one of the great steel cylinders now used as containers at a pressure of hundreds of pounds to the square inch.

This discovery will lead to the saving of countless lives, for oxygen is the life-giving gas. The miner can carry an emergency supply with him and it can be kept in the house for use in case of serious illness.

The oxygen is released by giving the tin a sharp blow which brings two chemicals into contact with one another by breaking an inner glass vessel. This sets up a gentle warmth, which causes the brick to give off gradually the gas it contains. The process of making the bricks is not expensive and a complete oxygen tin will not cost more than about 42 cents.—T.H.B.

Such Is Fame

Story From Chicago Proves Popularity Is Short Lived

There is a touch of pathos as well as considerable food for thought, in a story from Chicago to the effect that at an auction sale seven autographed photographs of once-famous idols of the stage brought only \$1 for the lot. In their day these artists delighted great audiences, felt the thrill of genuine enthusiastic applause, and revelled in general popularity. Then the possessor of one of their autographed photographs was regarded as fortunate. Today it brings about 14 cents.

The moral of course, is that the public is fickle. New stars arise. Age begins to take its toll of former favorites and they pass from view: "The King is dead! Long live the King!" "Imperious Caesar, dead and turned to clay, might stop a hole to keep the wind away." Marcus Aurelius had the right idea when he said: "All is ephemeral—fame and the famous as well."—Toronto Globe.

One Of Our Widely Distributed Trees

Aspen poplar is one of the most widely distributed trees in Canada, being found in every province of the Dominion. Its northern limit extends almost to the Arctic Ocean, at the Mackenzie delta. From the wood of the aspen are made excelsior, boxes and barrels for foodstuffs, and certain kinds of wood-pulp. Lumber made from it is difficult to season and very perishable. In the Prairie Provinces it is an important source of fuel.—Forest Service, Department of the Interior, Canada.

Electioneer: "Are you in favor of Mr. Watson's return to Bigtown?" Voter: "Yes, if that's where he comes from."

A new alloy, composed of nickel, steel and aluminum, has been developed in Japan for strong magnetic characteristics.

A Mystery To Science

Death Flight Of Arctic Seabirds Is Being Studied

Canadian scientists hope to solve this year one of the great mysteries of bird-life—why thousands of Murres periodically fly from far northern waters to the St. Lawrence River basin only to die.

The strange migration started early in December, the first in many years. Flocks of the Arctic seabirds were observed passing high above Quebec City, flying toward Montreal, Toronto, and Ottawa. In a few days they were found dead in inland waters.

No one knows what causes the death-flight, why the birds desert the Arctic or why the St. Lawrence River Basin always is chosen for their tragic ending, but scientists this year hope to provide answers because it may be years before the next migration.

Murres are about the size of a crow, but with smaller wings. The breast is white, the back dark, the feet are webbed and the beak sharp and pointed.

The erratic wanderings of Murres in the past have taken them as far inland as Toronto and Ottawa. It is believed they perish in the southern latitudes from lack of natural food, but it has not been established even if they attempt to eat on the death-flight. It is all a mystery to science—as much a mystery as the disappearance of the wild pigoon.

A Fingerless Artist

Young English Girl Holds Brush Between Her Wrists

Another amazing triumph over adversity by an artist is that of Miss Carrie Rivett, of Neckinger-Street, Bermondsey, England, who is 17. She has not any fingers on either hand, but has just won a scholarship to the Camberwell School of Arts and Crafts. And there she is to pursue her studies in the craft of lettering.

She holds a brush between her wrists, and with a pen held in this way she can write as fast as most people. She can knit, sew, and croch too.

Magistrate: "You've committed six burglaries in a week." Culprit: "That's right. If every-one worked as 'ard as I do we'd soon be on the road to prosperity!"

Uganda, in Africa, has prohibited motor truck traffic between points adequately served by railways.



UNCLE SAM: "I wonder what the matter with the Christmas trade this year!"—Strube in Daily Express.

England's Poet Laureate

John Massfield Once Worked In United States Factory

If conditions in a certain American rug factory hadn't been "unpleasant" John Massfield might today be a New York physician instead of poet laureate of England.

With a far-away look in his wistful gray eyes, Massfield sat before a huge stone fireplace in the home of Mrs. Thomas Lamont, New York, and discussed the two years he spent as a factory hand and saloon employee in the United States.

He and Mrs. Massfield had just arrived from England.

He told how as a boy of 17 he came to America and worked in a Greenwich village saloon for \$10 a month and board; how a friend of the bartender (whom he hoped to see) got him a job in a Yonkers (N. Y.) rug factory at \$1.05 a day, and how after nearly two years he was getting \$8.50 a week.

"Until then I had had only one great ambition," Massfield continued, still in his hurried, serious manner; "and that was to get a sword and cut off my nurse's head."

"But while working in the factory I decided I would become a doctor. I grew interested in the part dies played in transporting diseases, and read a lot about sleeping sickness."

"But I couldn't stand my surroundings, and so I fled back to England. Just before I started I came across a book of Chaucer's poems, and that's what led to my becoming a poet."

Medical Care For Settlers

Saskatchewan Making Provision For Residents Of Northern Areas

Provision is being now made for medical care and hospitalization of 20,000 persons who migrated from the southern section of Saskatchewan to new settlements in the north in 1931 and 1932, according to Hon. F. D. Munroe, Minister of Public Health.

Red Cross outposts and other hospitals and doctors of the northern areas are co-operating in the work. Field men of the department of natural resources, said Dr. Munroe, are in charge in the new settlement areas and are responsible for reporting cases where medical aid is needed.

An additional payment of 25 cents per patient per day for patients from the 1932 drought area in hospitals in the province will be made by the provincial government from Jan. 1 on, according to Hon. F. D. Munroe, Minister of Public Health.

This will make the total hospitalization relief payments by the provincial government amount to 75 cents per patient per day.

In making this announcement, Dr. Munroe amplified on the announcement that travelling expenses to doctors in the 1932 drought area would be allowed to a total of \$50 a month.

Ruin and Despair

Object Lesson To Those Who See No Hope In The Future

The Golden Book Magazine for September gives us a few quotations that should be a lesson to those who insist upon sitting on the top rail of the pasture fence watching for the end of the world.

"There is scarcely anything around us but ruin and despair," said William Pitt in 1790.

"I dare not marry the future is so dark and unsettled," remarked Samuel Coleridge who inhabited this Earth between the years 1806 and 1837.

"In industry and commerce and Agriculture there is no hope," said Disraeli in 1849, while the Duke of Wellington in 1851, thanked God that he was to be spared from seeing the consumption of ruins that was gathering around.

We thank the G. B. M. for digging these statements up. Now we can laugh when John Doe, 1933, insists that there never was and never can be again such a depression. Things are going to the eternal bow-wow, and so on, etc. . . . or what have you?"

Money For Hospitals

More than \$25,000 has been raised for Welsh and English hospitals as a result of the exhibition of Princess Elizabeth's miniature house which was built and presented by the people of Wales. According to an official statement just issued in Cardiff, all but \$2,225, which was given to Bristol charities, has been distributed among Welsh hospitals. More than 250,000 people paid to see the house.

In addition to its application as a beauty aid, talcum powder is used in 50 different ways in modern trades.

"Yes, I've hunted all over Europe." Really. What had you lost?"

Salmon Fisheries Of Hudson Bay

Anglers Find Excellent Fishing In Northern Waters

Anglers are always on the lookout for any fishing grounds, and now that the Hudson Bay railway has been laid to Churchill, and the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway completed to Moosonee, there will be many who journey to Hudson Bay to test the newly accessible fishing waters reached by these lines. Salmon fishers will be able to study the habits of these denizens in northern waters.

Two species very closely related, the long-finned charr and the Greenland charr or Hearn's salmon are found in Hudson Bay and to some extent in James Bay. These fish are seldom found further south than the Churchill River on the west coast, or Cape Jones on the east coast. They frequent all rivers with sand or gravelly beds, proceeding upstream to spawn about the middle of August and returning at the breakup in the following spring. They are sometimes found migrating in enormous quantities. The flesh is pink in colour and very firm, and specimens up to 30 pounds have been obtained, although 5 to 15 pounds is a more representative weight. Landlocked salmon are found in some of the inland lakes and, while not to be had in commercial quantities, as a big game fish it has few superiors.

True salmon are seldom seen in Hudson Bay proper, although considerable numbers are known to exist in Ungava Bay, where the Hudson's Bay Company have operated fisheries on the Georges, Whale, Lead and Koksoak Rivers, from which salted, pickled and fresh fish have been shipped to England.

Swedish Aviator Claims Record For Passengers

Captain Ahrenberg Has Carried 47,703 In His Airplane

A world's record in the number of passengers transported by one aviator is claimed by a Swede, Captain Albin Ahrenberg, who has carried no less than 47,703 passengers in his aeroplanes. Captain Ahrenberg, who is the most popular and well-known pilot in Sweden, besides serving on the regular Swedish-Continental air routes, has done more than any other Swede to popularize aviation by his aerial propaganda flights.

During last year only he visited 232 different towns and villages and carried passengers varying in age from babies of a few months to old men of nearly 100 years. Throughout these flights he always practically arrived on the minute and no person carried in his machines has ever been hurt.

Captain Ahrenberg has also made daring flights across the icy and desolate regions of Lapland and was the chief pilot of the expedition sent to Greenland to rescue the young English explorer Courtland.

Important Discovery

Benzol, An Anti-Knock For Gasoline, Found In Turner Valley

Every 1,000 cubic feet of "stable" gas going to waste in Turner Valley contains approximately five gallons of benzol—an anti-knock for gasoline. A tar by-product of the process could be used in the dye industry.

These preliminary results of experiments conducted by Dr. E. H. Boomer, of the University of Alberta, and Paul Gishler, instructor at the Institute of Technology and Art in Calgary, were disclosed by Mr. Gishler. The experiments were incomplete, he said, but the indications were well established.

Operations on a commercial basis were still somewhat obscure, and only further tests would disclose the significance of the discoveries made so far.

Customers Paid

A small storekeeper, to the surprise of his brethren, suddenly decorated his window with a gorgeous new blind.

"Nice blind of yours, Isaac," quoth his neighbor.

"Yes, Aaron."

"Who paid for it, Isaac?"

"The customers paid for it, Aaron."

"What! The customers paid for it, Isaac?"

"Yes, Aaron, I put a teedle box on my counter. 'For the Blind' And they paid for it."

An Iowa farmer has a goose which lays two eggs a day. The silly goose! Why lay two eggs when the owner would be satisfied with one a day?

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

She checked the plea. She could not bring herself to put Alan in so fearful a dilemma. Looking up, she met his gaze squarely again. "No, I can't ask that of you. I'd never ask that."

He chose his words very carefully. "The question with me, Joyce, is this: How deeply is your father involved? I can't think he'd go the whole length with these bandits. I can't think he'd countenance murder or even so brazen a robbery as these men staged. Perhaps they deluded him about their intentions. If they're caught, they're going to life and throw as much of the blame on him as they can. But if I can have the truth as a working basis, I can call their lies. We can't hope to save him from a penalty, but we maybe can save him from the worst."

Joyce blanched at the last word, at the spectre it aroused. Her father stood charged with murder. In her heart the law suddenly became a tangible and fearsome thing.

Alan went on: "You stand a better chance of getting the truth from him than I do, Joyce. He'd suspect me if I tried to talk to him. But with you he'd be more frank and open. When he comes in, won't you try to find out what you can?"

"You mean I'm to watch him and gather what hints I can, and perhaps ask questions that seem innocent?"

"That's exactly it, Joyce. Exactly what I meant. If you'll do that for me, I'll help me that much. . . . Joyce, don't you see why I told you this? Don't you see why because I'm going to talk with you? I won't see your dad railroaded. I'll help him to the limit I can—because he's your father."

He was facing her in the ghostly morning light. Again he was conscious that his four months of absence, breaking the friendship between them, had invested her with an aura of strangeness to him; and that all during this brief fateful visit he had become aware of her in a quickened sense. How brave and comradely a girl! And in spite of her hard life here, in spite of her efforts to be a good bush-toper, how winsome and girlish and adorable she was!

Unwilling to detain him, Joyce offered him her hand, wishing him success today, hiding her fears for him when he should come up with these men. Alan bent nearest to her, he bent down a little to kiss her, as more than once he had done in the years past. It was an impulsive act, he was swept by admiration of her bravery, of her girlish prettiness. And it was a humble act of contrition, too, and self-reproach; for he

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had said to himself that if he had kept up his visits here, instead of leaving Joyce all alone to the battle, he might have halted Dave MacMillan's plunge into crime.

She went with him down to the wharf and stood watching the patrol embark. At the first bend above, he turned to look back. Vaguely through the mist he saw Joyce still standing on the wharf in the gray chill of earliest morning. He waved to her and caught the tiny white of her kerchief answering.

When the mist had hidden her from him, he turned his eyes ahead. Somewhere on the spruce-buried Alouksa were those six bandits, armed and desperate and certain to give battle. Against them he was pitting his life and the lives of his men today.

Forty miles above the MacMillan trading store, Alan ordered Pedneault to swerve in toward the north bank and stop.

He believed those bandits could not be very far ahead now. Across this silent wilderness the roar of the launch's engine carried for five or six miles. Warned of pursuit, those criminals might lift their canoes back into the timber and let the police go harmlessly past. Likelier still, they might lay an ambush where the river was narrow, and open on the launch with repeating rifles at a murderous point-blank range. But if he located them on up-stream, he could slip upon them quietly in the paddle craft and lay a deadly ambush himself.

Taking a pair of binoculars he splashed ashore and hurried up a hill to his summit. There he had a clear view of a long river "straight" reaching twenty miles up-stream.

He moved his glasses slowly up-stream, praying for a glimpse of those two outlaw canoes. Carefully focusing, he scrutinized the river, the banks on either side with their little curves and hollows, and searched above the trees for a wisp of camp smoke. Nothing, nothing whatsoever of two creeping black dots. The bandits were twenty miles ahead at least.

As he hurried back down to the launch, he began to realize that those two canoes had travelled more swiftly than he had thought possible. For the first time in his police experience Alan found himself ill at ease and uncertain of what he was running into. Though he could understand, on the assumption of Dave MacMillan's guilt, how the bandits knew just the right moves to make in this dimly known country, still he was utterly unable to explain how six absolute strangers could get into this country unseen. Who they were, where they came from, how they had got in here unknown to everybody—the whole thing was uncanny. He hardly knew what to expect of them next.

Splashing back upon the launch, he told his men tersely: "They're not in sight yet, and I could see for twenty miles. We've got to meet up with them before they reach the Forks. They're making tracks, Ped, you're light to drive by now. We'll take our chances."

Twice more that morning, between Pedneault's reckless dashes, he hurried ashore and furtively searched ahead. Something had gone wrong. The patrol should be within sight of them. Estimating their speed and the speed of the pursuing launch, he knew the police craft should have overtaken a squab tree. He had above the MacMillan trading post. He had come a hundred and twenty, and no sight of them yet. They had either dodged aside, or had done something to give them a big edge over what he thought possible.

It was afterwards when the waters of the Alouksa had given up their ghastly secret, that Joyce MacMillan listened to the accounts of several Yellowknife men and gazed upon certain grim evidence, and placed together the story of how these bandits were able to keep in the lead. But Alan knew nothing of that harrowing story now; he knew only that something had upset all his calculations.

Fifteen miles from the Alouksa Forks he went ashore a last time and climbed a squab tree. He had a clear view for the Forks. The glasses picked up a sight that set his heart pounding madly against his ribs.

Far ahead, three short miles from the Forks of the Alouksa, a pair of tiny black objects, like bugs crawling along a silver ribbon. . . . He jumped out of the tree, leaped down the slope.

Splashing aboard, he flung all caution to the winds. . . . "Throw into it, Pedneault! We've got to beat them to the Forks. We'll close in on them in the launch. Get to! They'll hear us but they won't stop, won't fight, if they can make it there. Open

HER FAT WAS A BURDEN

Now She Is Quite Slender

Here is another case where the trim figure of youth has displaced the coarse, fat outline of middle-age. It is a housekeeper writing. She says:—"I cannot say what weight I was, but I was very fat—a burden to myself. I have taken three bottles of Kruschen Salts and now I am quite slender. I am 58 turned and people take me for 40. I am more than proud of myself. You can take it from me that every word of this is true. I took a teaspoonful in hot water every morning till I used three bottles. Now I only take half a teaspoonful each morning. I cannot recommend the Kruschen Salts enough, for they are worth their weight in gold."—(Mrs. A. H.)

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her up! To h—l with rocks and mud bars now!"

His last words were drowned in the engine's roar as Pedneault opened out the launch. With the wind stinging his eyes and the spray lashing him, Alan clutched the painter to keep from being flung bodily overboard, and gave Pedneault what help he could.

The craft careened around the last bend, a scant mile from the great Y of the Alouksa. A clear open stretch lay in front. Dashing the blinding spray from his eyes, Alan rose precariously to his feet, looked ahead; and his heart sank as the truth was borne in upon him.

Those canoes had beaten him to the Forks. It was maddening, his defeat—doubly maddening for its closeness to a smashing triumph. He had come within five minutes of overthrowing them in the launch, and then had loomed, had missed by a mile that loomed gigantic as two hundred. They had beaten him. They had heard the thundering boat, had flung their whole strength into the race; and now were whipping on eastward along one or either of the Alouksa branches.

The launch would have to be abandoned at the Forks. He knew the police boat would be stranded or wrecked within half a mile if it attempted to go up either of those shallow streams. He would have to take to paddle canoes and split his party.

Unbated, he planned swiftly. The chances were ten to one that the bandits had darted up the left branch leading northeast into the Thal-Azrah. He decided quickly: "I'll follow that left branch. I'll take Bill with me, he's a red-haired devil in a fight, he's our best shot, he'll be dependable in whatever comes. But the third man—Ped or Larry?" Both splendid men, both experienced veterans of many a patrol.

He made up his mind: "I'll send Ped up the right branch with Murgoon and Whipple. Bill and Larry will short up the left. We'll be the ones to do the business."

As the great Y of the Alouksa loomed up, he turned and gestured to Hardcock and Larry. Silently understanding, they crept back to the stern deck, unlashed the canoes and had them ready by the time Pedneault, slowing down the launch, steered it in between two little walled islands at the Forks, and stopped.

Alan ordered him: "Ped, take these two men and whip up the south branch. Larry and Bill and I'll cover the north. If you sight them, don't pitch into that pack. You'd be fighting six men single-handed. If they do happen to go that way, you drop back here to the Forks and wait for us. We'll be able to track them in that timber country. Let's pile off. They can't be over a mile and a half away."

Bill snarled: "H—l's blue blazes, Alan!—let's stick together. Us splitting up is up like this, it's the d—st fool trick I ever heard of!"

"Shut-up!" Alan snapped. "General orders, not mine. Every d—d thing you say or do will be tattled to him." He tossed the launch anchor into the mud. "I said pile off. Let's be moving." He stepped down into a canoe, stood rigid between his knees, caught up a paddle.

Cursing beneath his breath, Bill and Larry clambered in with him. The two canoes separated. (To Be Continued.)

China's 1932 rice crop was the largest in several years.

Great Slave Lake

Second Largest Lake Lying Entirely in Canadian Territory

Lying in the district of Mackenzie in the North West Territories is Great Slave Lake with an area of 11,170 square miles. It is the second largest lake lying wholly within Canadian territory, being exceeded in size only by Great Bear Lake. It is on the great northern inland waterways system which extends to the Arctic Ocean. Mackenzie River which flows out of Great Slave Lake has a length to its headwaters of over 2,500 miles and is ranked with the great rivers of the world. It is navigable for a great part of this distance with only one break at the rapids on Slave River at Fort Smith. The elevation of Great Slave Lake is 480 feet above sea level and the Mackenzie River is its course to the Arctic has a fall of this amount, this fall being in the main fairly uniform. The Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, has just issued a reprint of the map of the eastern end of Great Slave Lake and including the Northern arm. This arm of the lake is largely full of islands and peninsulas and extends to the site of Fort Reliance at the mouth of Lockhart River. Several navigation channels are in use and these are shown. This map is one of a series showing the Mackenzie River Navigation channels. They are printed on scales of four and six miles to one inch and include the water route from Fort Smith to the Arctic beyond several other localities not on the direct navigation route. A list of the maps available and their prices may be obtained from the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

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Every day's new scene,
All the glad world lies!

No Wheat Needed

Latest Information Says Russia Not Importing This Season

Soviet Russia will not be forced to import wheat this season, C. J. H. Mackie announced at Ottawa, as the opinion of Peter Bogdanov, chairman of the Amtorg Trading Corporation, Russia's commercial organization in New York. C. J. H. Mackie has been prominent in recent years as an intermediary between Canadian and Russian industrialists.

"I discussed Russia's wheat supply with Mr. Bogdanov a few days ago," says C. J. H. Mackie. "He said his information was that wheat collections in Russia during the past month were above expectations and that his opinion was Russia would not be forced to import wheat."

Winter Air Travel

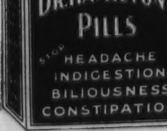
Air travel from Germany to Russia for the first time will be continued through the winter, according to a recent announcement by the German Russian Air Transportation Company. Effective December 15, the Berlin-Moscow service is being operated daily for the carriage of passengers mail and freight.

It has been learned unofficially that the Japanese government has communicated to the Soviet Government a formal refusal to sign a non-aggression pact with Soviet Russia proposed by this government a year ago.

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"Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." — Galatians 6:2.

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There are those who give with generous hand. And seek to give still more; The sick and sad, the poor and low, Find welcome at their door. —Grenville Kleiser.

However perplexed you may be at any hour become about some question of truth, one refuge and resource is always at hand; you can do something for someone besides yourself. When your own burden is heaviest you can always lighten a little some other burden. Let this thought then stay with you; there may be times when you cannot find help, but there is no time when you cannot give help. —George S. Merriam.

Canada's Fish Production

Saskatchewan and Yukon Kept Up Record in 1931

During 1931 fish production in Canada showed a decrease in every province except in the Yukon and Saskatchewan. On December 20, 1932, there had been an increase in domestic fishing licenses to the extent of 346 over the corresponding period of the previous year. The natural resources department is continuing the work of stocking certain of the more suitable lakes of Saskatchewan with angling species of fish. During the season seven lakes chiefly in the Cypress Hills region, were stocked with trout; 25,435,508 fish and fish fry were distributed during the year.

New Metal Discovered

Feather-Weight Substance May Displace Use Of Aluminum

Scientists believe that in beryllium, a feather-weight metal which is stronger than steel, they have discovered a substance which will displace aluminum in many branches of industry. Intensive experiments are now being conducted by the Institute of Metals to test its usefulness.

The objection to its general use so far is its brittleness, but experts are hoping to blend it into an alloy which will make its use practicable for all the commercial purposes to which aluminum is now applied.

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Winter Cruise Shortened

SS. Vancouver and SS. Skeena Curtail Trip To Save Expense

In the interests of economy the annual winter cruise of H.M.C.S. Skeena and H.M.C.S. Vancouver have been curtailed, says a message received from naval headquarters in Ottawa. The cruises will be cut short by a month and the ships will not go through the Panama Canal.

They will visit Pacific coast ports as far south as Mazatlan, in Mexico, and will return to their base in Esquimalt during the first week in April. They left the Victoria naval harbor January 6.

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FORM "C"

The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) Sale & Redemption of Impounded Animals (Sec. 48)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that the following animals have been impounded and sold, and may be redeemed by the owner or owners or on their behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and to the purchasers of the animals.

Impounded in the pound kept by H. H. Gano, located on the N.W. 21-28-3-W. 10th on the 19th day of December, 1932, and sold on the 31st day of December, 1932.

Bay gelding saddle horse, branded as cut on left shoulder, to Earl Havens, Madden, Alberta.

SH Bay gelding saddle horse, aged, branded left shoulder; to Earl Havens, Madden, Alta.

Black mare, weight 1350, age 7 or 8, no visible brand; to Frank Myram, Bottrel, Alta.

For information apply to the undersigned.

G. B. HUNTER,

Secretary-Treasurer of the Municipal District of Beaver Dam, No. 281.

Post Office Dog Pound, Alta.

Geo. McLeod, District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 13, I. O. O. F. installed the officers of Sandstone Lodge and Crescent Lodge at a joint installation meeting held in the Oddfellows Temple, Calgary, on Tuesday, Jan. 10. Chas. Fox, Wilson, Stafford, Frank Hopper, Clint Thompson and Carl Becker of the Crossfield Lodge assisted with the installation ceremony.

A well attended monthly meeting of the Floral Local U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. H. Robertson on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. H. Robinson was elected delegate to the annual convention and Mrs. O. E. Jones as alternate delegate.

Norman Seville was the holder of the lucky ticket at Saturday night's hockey game and won a box of stationery. This prize was donated by Dr. McClelland.

Glen Williams, Evan Gordon, Len Pullan, and Stanley Miller were among those from Crossfield who took in the Calgary-Edmonton hockey game on Friday night.

FOR SALE

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Thos. Fitzgerald

With The Curlers

INTER-RINK COMPETITION

January 5
Glen Williams 16, Amery 9.
McRory 13, Pogue 6.
January 6
Purvis 13, J. M. Williams 7.
January 7
McMillan 11, Winning 10.
January 8
McRory 15, Meyers 4.
McMillan 12, Pogue 8.
January 10
Amery 7, J. M. Williams 5.
Winning 13, Smart 4.
January 11
Meyers 11, Smart 9.
G. Williams 9, Purvis 5.

WITH THE LADY CURLERS

January 6
Mrs. Amery 11, Mrs. Nicol 5.
Mrs. Harrison 9, Mrs. McCool 9.
January 7
Mrs. Miller 8, Mrs. Amery 6.
Mrs. McCool 10, Mrs. Pogue 8.
January 10
Mrs. Nichol 11, Mrs. Pogue 6.
Mrs. Miller 10, Mrs. McCool 6.

Legion Elect New Officers

The annual meeting of the Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion No. 13, was held in the Fire Hall on Saturday afternoon. The following officers were elected:

President, D. J. Hall; 1st. Vice-President, F. Mossop; 2nd. Vice-President, F. Stevens; executive committee: C. H. McMillan, J. P. Winning, H. May, W. Major; secretaries, R. D. Sutherland.

A Calf Club for Crossfield?

In order to comply with the wishes of Mr. Frank Collicutt, it will be necessary to form a Calf Club. Mr. Collicutt has kindly donated a pure bred heifer calf to be sold by auction at which he guarantees she will realize at least \$100.00. This sum can be used as prize money in a competition for grade Hereford Baby Beef. By forming a Calf Club under supervision of the Department of Agriculture, we can get prize money for calves of other herds hereof breeding.

The objects of Boys and Girls Clubs are:

(1) To improve the quality of livestock; and

(2) To make better junior farmers. The only cost to the district is the payment of one-third of the prize money which varies from \$10.00 up according to the entries. The cost to the individual is nil where his livestock is good enough to enter the competition, if not then the purchasing of the calf must be arranged.

Beef Calf Clubs are in reality Beef Feeding Clubs. The members of a Beef Club, after securing a calf and feeding it until the time of the Fair, when their calves are judged, sell their calves either by auction or private arrangement, and the following year the same procedure is again followed. The Club decides what time of year they will start feeding and what time they are shown.

Supervision by the Department of Agriculture means personal visits, lectures and livestock judging classes, and in addition, Clubs that show proficiency in their work have the opportunity of securing a trip to the Toronto Royal Show as guests of the Canadian Junior Club Organization.

Needless to say the supervision and instructional work is given free, providing a district shows willingness to cooperate and to work hard in this junior venture.

The above is a brief outline of a Junior livestock project and if enough interest is shown in the Crossfield district by sending the names of ten or more boys and girls from eleven years of age and upwards to Mr. Harry May, it would be possible to make arrangements for the organization of a Club.

Greenwood Examination Results

| Grade IX | |
|------------------|------|
| Eileen Riddell | 68 |
| Chester Aarsby | 63 |
| Grade VII | |
| Alma Quigley | 72.9 |
| Cathie Cameron | 68.5 |
| Grade VI | |
| Richard May | 77.5 |
| Thomas Cuming | 77.4 |
| Clarence Riddell | 71.6 |
| Grade IV | |
| Betty Short | 72 |
| Eileen May | 59 |

G. I. Dorach, teacher.

TODAY'S BRIGHT THOUGHT
A smile can glorify a day, a word new hope impart; the poorest of us cannot say, "I have no time to give away," if love be in the heart.

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Thos. Fitzgerald, Phone 351

Local News

Mr and Mrs P. H. Swanson of Bottrel were in town on Monday.

Mrs. Currie returned home from the Holy Cross Hospital this week.

New low prices on Permanent Waves. For information phone R009.

Miss Florence Cameron injured her hand while tobogganing last week-end.

The many friends of W. F. Stone will regret to know that is seriously ill at his home south of town.

An old freight car was unloaded here on Monday and will be used as a freight shed until the new station is built.

The C. P. R. surveyors are in town today (Thursday) laying out a site for the new station.

Mr. McMann of Innisfail is assisting at the C. P. R. station this week.

Mrs. Thrasher and baby of Cremona, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Cruickshank, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist and children spent Sunday in Carstairs the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wight.

Don't forget the Dance in East Community Hall on Friday, Jan. 20. The Melody Boys will furnish the music.

Keep in mind the annual meeting of the School Fair Association at the Fire Hall on Saturday, January 14 at 2 p. m.

R. Green left on Friday for Sprague, Wash. where he was called owing to the serious illness of his father.

R. M. McCool, R. Nichol, L. Nichol, Doug. Hall and Geo. Lem attended the Calgary - Edmonton hockey game in Calgary on Monday night.

Mrs. Ed. Johnson has returned to her home at Field, B. C. after spending the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fike. Mrs. Johnson is a real old time here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Belshaw entertained a few friends at bridge on on Friday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Wm. Pogue and Herbert Seville.

Jane Patmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Patmore, who has been ill for some time past, was taken to the General Hospital, Calgary.

The lumber that was salvaged from the Midland-Pacific elevator fire, was sold by auction on Tuesday afternoon by L. Farr, auctioneer. The grain which last week was weighed and hauled to adjoining land, is now being loaded over the platform and shipped out.

There is one good feature about the recent fire in that it has put into circulation some foreign money. Men and teams handling the grain are receiving 40c an hour, and men doing the shovelling are pulling down 25c an hour.

There is considerable threshing to be done in this district. Saturday's chinook again put a stop to threshing operations. The weather although mild, has been very unkind to threshers this winter.

Mrs. T. M. Goldie entertained at a delightful bridge party on Friday evening. First prize was won by Mrs. C. H. McMillan; second prize by Mrs. Whillans, and consolation prize by Mrs. Campbell. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. R. J. Chrystal, Mrs. A. Campbell, Mrs. J. Ure, Mrs. R. McCoy, Mrs. N. McCrimmon, Mrs. W. Carmichael, Mrs. J. C. Yule and Miss Norah Campbell, all of Carstairs.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Crossfield School District will be held in the Fire Hall on Friday, Jan. 20 at 2 p. m. W. K. Gibson's term of office expires and it is not known definitely whether he will be a candidate for re-election or not.

Horse Sale Postponed

Owing to the continued illness of Mr. McNaught, the auction sale of horses to have been held here on Jan. 10, was again postponed. As soon as Mr. McNaught is able to be around the sale will be held. Those in need of good horses should wait for this sale.

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THURSDAY, JAN 12th, 1933.

POLICE COURT

Four farmers residing near Madden, were each assessed \$20 and costs or 30 days in jail when three of them were convicted of consuming liquor in a public place and the fourth of having liquor in his possession without a permit when they appeared before Justice of the Peace A. W. Gordon at Crossfield on Thursday evening last.

The three convicted of the consuming charge were Lloyd Havers, Hiram Walsh and George Skinner, and the fourth Henry Demmerling, was found guilty on the second count.

These men were grabbed at the Hogmanay dance at Beaver Dam Hall on Dec. 31st. It appears that one of them had a jug of concord wine, and invited the others outside to have a shot, when the others stepped into the picture. It looks like very small stuff indeed, but of course "it's again the law."

First, you buy a permit which enables you to buy this rot gut, and then you pay the Government two prices for it, then you have to be very careful where you drink it.

F. T. Baker of the Crossfield Garage, appeared before A. W. Gordon, J. P. on Thursday last and was fined \$5.00 and costs for operating a garage without a license.

Junior Pucksters Defeated

The Crossfield junior hockey team played at Airdrie on Wednesday night and lost to the juniors of that town by a score of 4-2. The juniors also dropped a 2-1 contest at Carstairs on Thursday night of last week.

Crossfield—Goal, R. McFadyen; defense, S. Pogue, Gordon Johnson; forwards, L. Johnson, J. McClelland, Merle Heywood and Steve Nasadyk.

The Midland and Pacific Grain Grain Co. who recently lost their elevator by fire will not rebuild in Crossfield, although there is a possibility of them buying one of the other elevators here.

Church of the Ascension

(ANGELICAN)
January 10th—11.00 a. m. Holy Communion.
January 29th—7.30 p. m. Evensong.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10.00. The annual meeting of the congregation on Monday, January 15th at 8.30 p. m. in basement of Masonic Hall.
Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector

CHARITY FUND

This fund will be used to help needy cases in the town and district. Donations can be left at the Chronicle office or given to R. M. McCool.

Previously acknowledged. \$25.25
A friend..... 1.00

Public Notice

Annual School Meeting
Crossfield School District No. 752

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Crossfield School District will be held in the Fire Hall on Friday, January 20th, 1933, for the purpose of electing one trustee and such other business as may arise.

Wm. LAUT, Sec.-Treas.

NOTICE BUSINESS TAXES

All business taxes are to be paid 6 months in advance commencing this month in compliance with the Village By-law 251B.

Village of Crossfield
T. Tredaway, Sec.

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Mr. J. A. HARRY MILLICAN of the firm of Millikan & Millikan, Barristers, Solicitors and Notaries, 900 Lancaster Building, Calgary, will be at Tredaway & Springstons office, Crossfield on Saturday of each week for the general practice of the law.

MORRY TO LEAN PHONE 3

Dr. S. H. McClelland
Veterinary Surgeon
Honorary Graduate Ontario Veterinary College

Office—McClelland's Rexall Drug Store. Phone 3 Crossfield

Council Meetings

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m.

By Order of the Village Council.

T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

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